GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SURFACE TRANSPORT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4425
ANSWERED ON:21.08.2000
COMPLETION OF PROJECTS WITHOUT COST OVERRUN
RAMJI LAL SUMAN;SUKDEO PASWAN

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Planning Commission has alleged that launching of projects without full preparation by the Government results in delays in its completion and the cost overrun;

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;

(c) whether only 75% of the allocated funds have been spent due to procedural shortcomings during the first two years of the Ninth Five Year Plan; and

(d) if not, the facts thereof and the new steps proposed to be taken by the Government to complete the projects in time and without cost overrun?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the Lok Sabha.